

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

## **COURSE SYLLABUS**

## **Cardiocirculatory Apparatus**

2122-2-I0201D138-I0201D213M

## **Aims**

To know how to recognize the clinical symptomatology of cardiovascular diseases

#### **Contents**

Pathophysiology and Clinical features of the following cardiovascular diseases:

- Chronic heart failure
- Chronic Coronary Syndrome
- Essential and secondary arterial hypertension
- Atrial fibrillation.
- Dislipidemia
- Basic concept of electrocardiography

## **Detailed program**

- Chronic heart failure: pathophysiology, epidemiological mechanisms, types of decompensation (systolic and / or diastolic dysfunction). Diagnostic criteria of heart failure. Role of rehabilitation.
- Chronic coronary syndromes: Clinical presentation of acute myocardial infarction and chronic coronary syndromes. Clinical and instrumental diagnosis. Complications of myocardial infarction. Secondary prevention of coronary events. Coronary revascularization

- Arterial Hypertension: Definition, diagnosis, epidemiology. Secondary causes of hypertension. Cardiovascular complications of hypertension. Prevention of hypertension. Role of lifestyle.

- Dislipidemia: definition, diagnosys, epidemiology. Target and therapies.
- EKG: basi interpretation of normale and pathological one.

## **Prerequisites**

Basic skills of cardiovascular physiopathology, cardiovascular pathology and cardiovascular semeiotics

## **Teaching form**

Lessons in attendance, subject to any ministerial changes following the COVID pandemic situation.

## **Textbook and teaching resource**

International guidelines concerning major cardiovascular diseases

#### Semester

second semester (April 2021)

## **Assessment method**

Exam in attendance.

#### Office hours

